
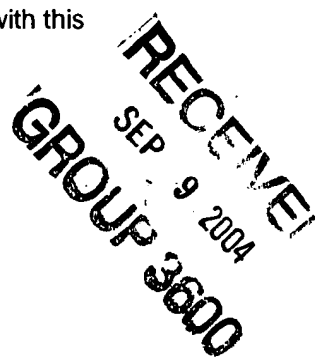


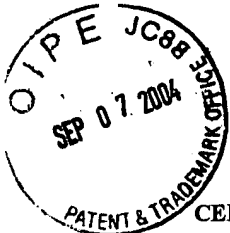


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Applicant(s): Lisa Steury et al.					
Serial No. 09/904,965	Filing Date July 13, 2001			Examiner Steven B. McAllister	Group Art Unit 3627
Invention: FEE ALLOCATOR SYSTEM AND METHOD					
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<div style="text-align: center;"> _____ <i>Signature</i></div> <div>John H. Platt, Reg. No, 47,863 Snell & Wilmer L.L.P. One Arizona Center 400 East Van Buren Phoenix, AZ 85004-2202 Phone (602) 382-6367 Fax (602) 382-6070</div>			<div>Dated: September 3, 2004</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;"><div style="text-align: center;"> <i>Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence</i></div><div style="text-align: center;">Kim L. Wilson <i>Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence</i></div></div>		
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In reply to the Office Action dated June 4, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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